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1. WILLIAM GADDIS, WRITER. ASP. LECTURE/DISCUSSION ON
"LITERATURE AS A NATION'S CONSCIENCE." WS-00 (PROJECT FULFILLED).
2. QP - VG; ED - VG; AR - VG; RO - VG; FLC - N/A.
3. ALTHOUGH AUDIENCE RESPONSES VARIED, GADDIS PROGRAMS VERY
GOOD, CLEARLY SUPPORTIVE OF POST OBJECTIVES. GADDIS NOT A
DYNAMIC SPEAKERS BUT AUDIENCE-SPEAKER RAPPORT STRONG, SEVERAL
DISCUSSIONS CONTINUED WELL BEYOND SCHEDULED END. GADDIS AND
WORK STRONG TESTIMONY TO DIVERSITY OF AM. LITERATURE, ROLE OF
WRITER AS DISSENTER AND CRITIC OF SOCIETY. POINT CLEARLY MADE
THAT ENCOURAGEMENT OF DISSENT ONE OF MOST AFFIRMATIVE, DYNAMIC
CHARACTERISTICS OF AMERICAN SOCIETY.
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